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Re-Application Of: **David J. Alverson et al.**

Application No. 10/634,504	Filing Date August 5, 2003	Examiner Peter H. Choi	Customer No. 000025901	Group Art Unit 3623	Confirmation No. 8769
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Invention: **Contractor Certification System**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the Appeal Brief in this application, with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on:
January 3, 2008

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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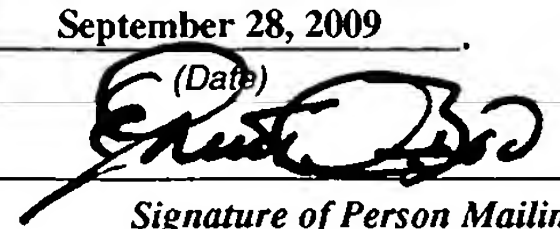
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